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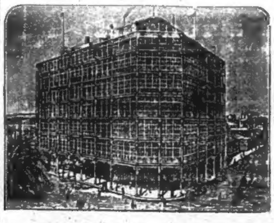

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While the Japanese fleet, keeping its own counsel and withdrawn from the observation of the world, is patiently awaiting the further advance of the Russian armada, and while Marshal Oyama is preparing his reinforced armies for their next move, the fermentation within Russia appears to continue. The outside world discerns only occasional symptoms, of which the most recent have been fresh disturbances in Warsaw—that is, further attacks by the Emperor's troops upon unarmed crowds, attacks in which there have been many killed and wounded among those attacked. The difficulty for outside observers lies in the interpretation of what is going on. The strikes of workmen at points spread over the greater part of European Russia and Russian Poland, the strikes and combinations of the educated classes, professors, professional men, and students, and the petitions of many local representative bodies all point to a widespread determination among the classes that can read and write and that have any kind of organisation, to assert their dissatisfaction with the existing form of authority or Administration. These classes call for an order based upon law and upon the recognition of a standard of right. One part of the situation undoubtedly consists in the dispute between these classes calling for law or right and the autocratic tradition which knows no law, but only the person and will of the Emperor. But this conflict is only a part of the existing state of unrest. There are two other perhaps distinct elements in the confusion. On the one hand is the discontent of the peasants. It is not clear that the peasantry are in sympathy with the industrial workers and the intellectual class. In one district at least peasants have attacked students. This may have been the consequence of instigation by the local servants of the bureaucracy, but it hardly in any case points to any deep community of cause between peasants, students, and workmen. In several other districts the peasants have begun a campaign for the land, and have been burning country houses and driving away the lords of the manors. On the other hand, several national or nationalist causes are making themselves felt. That the Poles and the Finns, if they could, would resist the power that tries to make Russians of them is practically certain, and in the South-East it is not less certain that there have been collisions between Moslems and Armenians, collisions intentionally brought about by the officials whose function if the State were well regulated would be to prevent them. Thus there are various discontents, but no apparent community of purpose between them. Over them all, and perhaps antagonistic to them all, is the autocracy, with its officials and its Army. The autocracy is still the sole authority and still controls the armed forces of the State. In spite of all the discontents it is carrying on, without success indeed and with faint prospect of success, a war of the first magnitude by land and sea.

When we come to the interpretation of the meaning of the symptoms above enumerated we have the help of men who know Russia from within. Professor Vinogradoff, perhaps the most competent of them, and almost certainly the one who has the widest vision, points to the need of a settled and certain law, of a Government able and willing to adopt and uphold a law, to guide itself by an intelligent knowledge of the relation between cause and effect in matters of economical policy, and to put itself into relation with the sentiment of the people. If we understand him rightly he would wish for evolution rather than revolution. On the other hand, the writer whose article in the "Quarterly Review" gave so unflattering an account of the character of the Emperor, now takes up his tale in the "National Review," and declares that nothing is to be expected from the Emperor, that evolution is not to be hoped for, and that revolution must come. His view is that the Autocracy cannot bend, and will therefore be broken, and this view he bases upon a detailed account of the Ministerial and Palace history of the recent crisis. It seems to us that the great area of Russia, the scanty means of communication, and the lack of common purpose between the several discontented classes are conditions that must greatly retard the development of the Russian movement. A great leader, with the power of clear expression and the faculty of administration or organisation, might combine the diverse discontents and lead the classes thus united in a revolution that would put a Government conditioned by law in the place of the autocracy. But there is no sign of such a leader. The signs are rather of a drifting of society towards Anarchy, towards the letting loose of the several discontents into an epoch of indiscriminate violence. From such a condition the only escape would be through a new despotism justifying itself by efficiency and fortifying itself by the creation or formulation of laws and by the organisation of systematic administration. There is no indication whatever that the Emperor or those about him have any conception of the greatness of the unrest by which they are surrounded or of the magnitude of the forces which its growth will set in motion. The danger, therefore, is that discontent will in the first instance make its aim the destruction of the existing Government, and that if that should succeed there must follow a long agony, as the result of which there may emerge a Russia reconstituted, no one can foresee upon what basis.

In the international sphere the unrest in Russia, if its interpreters are not mistaken, means the temporary paralysis of the aggressive action with which the autocracy has been identified. But as the new Russia must be a Russia in which the administration will be the expression of the national sentiment and the national will, that new Russia when it comes will be much stronger than the old Russia which is now apparently collapsing. It will be a power that will count in the international balance and will weigh heavier in the scales than its predecessor. That is a point which statesmen will consider in their forecasts, but it is a point for the future rather than for the present. For the present Russia is paralysed, as with her war and her internal dissensions she is comparatively helpless to influence events outside her own borders. Temporarily, therefore, the balance of power in Europe is upset. A few years ago the accepted calculation was that the Triple Alliance was balanced by the Dual Alliance, and that Great Britain with her Navy was the make-weight that could turn the scale. By keeping aloof from either combination Great Britain was helping to preserve the peace. The weakness of Russia alters this. If the Triple Alliance had a positive purpose the scale would turn in its favor and even the accession of Great Britain to the other side might be insufficient to keep the balance. But the Triple Alliance had no purpose except the defence of each of its members from attack by a combination. There is no danger of such an attack, and the Triple Alliance has therefore for the moment no sufficient cause. It may be regarded as practically suspended, because the eventuality which would put it into action can scarcely arise. The temporary change in the dynamical relations between the Great Powers is the justification of the feeling which has brought Great Britain and France into closer sentimental relations. The case is one in which national instincts have divined what was appropriate to a situation, and in which statesmen have endeavoured in their diplomacy to find some expression for the policy towards which sentiment impelled by instinct has directed them.

MANCHURIA.

ABORTIVE RUSSIAN ATTACK

TSAR'S TROOPS REPULSED.

TOKIO, May 22.

A Russian force attacked Tang-She, to the right of the Liao-Ho, 13 miles south-west of Fakumen, on the 20th inst. After two hours' engagement the Russians retired. Their casualties were 300 killed and wounded. A Russian attack to the east of Chang-Tu-Fu was also repulsed. *(Reuter.)*

THE BALTIC FLEET.

TAKING INDIRECT ROUTE.

HONG KONG, May 22.

A steamer which has arrived here reports that the Baltic Fleet passed the Bashi Channel, to the south of Formosa, thus indicating that Admiral Rodjestvensky is avoiding the Pescadores Islands and is taking an indirect route for Vladivostok. *(Reuter.)*

SAIGON, May 22.

It is rumoured that forty Russian ships have passed through the strait to the south of Formosa. *(Havas.)*

SAIGON, May 22.

Admiral de Jonquières has returned after having again visited the entire Annamese coast. He ascertained that no man-of-war has returned thither since the 14th inst. *(R.)*

ADMIRAL BIRILEFF'S DEPARTURE.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 22.

Admiral Bírileff will start for Vladivostok on the 25th inst. *(Reuter.)*

RECONNAISSANCE FROM VLADIVOSTOK.

TOKIO, May 22.

It is reported that a junk filled with Russian officers has been captured. This is presumably a reconnaissance from Vladivostok. *(Reuter.)*

DESPATCHING RUSSIAN TROOPS.

NOTABLE INCREASE OF ACTIVITY.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 22.

There is a notable increase of activity in the despatch of troops from Poland to the Far East. Detachments are starting daily and are composed of picked men from each regiment whose place will be filled by reservists. *(R.)*

THE CHINESE IN JOHANNESBURG.

ATTACK ON NATIVE COMPOUND.

LONDON, May 22.

The "Daily Chronicle" learns from Johannesburg that 1,000 Chinese attacked the native compound on the 14th inst. and killed 2 Kaffirs and one Indian. *(Reuter.)*

ABYSSINIAN RAILWAY.

A NEW CONVENTION.

PARIS, May 22.

England, France, and Italy are negotiating a convention with reference to the Abyssinian railway which will prevent any nationality obtaining a monopoly to the detriment of another. It is expected it will be signed in a few days. *(Reuter.)*

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

BERLIN, May 22.

The French Ambassador has handed over M. Loubet's gifts to the Crown Prince's fiancée. *(Havas.)*

M. ALPHONSE DE ROTHSCHILD'S HEALTH.

PARIS, May 22.

M. Alphonse de Rothschild's state of health, which gave rise to great anxiety, is becoming satisfactory. *(Havas.)*

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"SCENE" IN THE HOUSE.

ONE HOUR'S UPROAR.

SITTING ADJOURNED.

LONDON, May 22.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.—Mr. Campbell-Bannerman moved an adjournment to draw attention to the statement of Mr. Balfour that the question of Colonial preference might be submitted to a Colonial Conference in 1906. He maintained that this was inconsistent with Mr. Balfour's Edinburgh proposals and subsequent pledges, involving two general elections, first on the question of a Colonial Conference and second on the decisions of the Conference, and that its policy was a safeguard against any sudden change.

Mr. A. Lyttelton rose and stood 10 minutes attempting to speak, the Opposition meanwhile shouting: "Balfour! Balfour!" till finally he sat down in face of the terrible din. Mr. Winston Churchill then rose and was received in turn by a deafening uproar from the Ministerialists, and not a word he said was audible. After a few words from Mr. Lloyd-George, Mr. Lyttelton rose again, evoking a renewal of the confusion. Several members appealed to the Deputy-Speaker to adjourn. Mr. Campbell-Bannerman appealed to Mr. Balfour to speak. Mr. Austen Chamberlain and Mr. Brodrick vainly attempted to address the House, and the Deputy-Speaker was finally obliged to adjourn without putting the question. The "scene" lasted over an hour. *(Reuter.)*

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The Prime Minister and the other Ministers will leave Cairo to-morrow morning for Alexandria and will remain here until they bid farewell to the Khedive on Thursday.

Sheikh el-Shirbini, of Al Azhar, stayed on Saturday night at Ras el-Tin Palace at the the special invitation of the Khedive. The sheikh has never paid a visit to Alexandria and hardly ever leaves the walls of Al Azhar, like Sheikh Aly el-Adawi, who spent twenty years without leaving the university.

Mahmoud Abou Hussein Pasha and Said Bey Abou Hussein visited Lord Cromer yesterday to thank his lordship for the honor he had paid them in visiting their ezbeh at Kafr Rabieh during his recent trip in the Delta.

Mahmoud Pasha Sidky, Governor of Alexandria, will go on leave from the 14th June till the 27th September.

H. H. the Khedive has bestowed the Order of the Medjidieh (1st class) on the Hon. J. W. Riddle, American Diplomatic Agent, on the occasion of his departure from Egypt.

Major L'Estrange Johnstone, President of the Railway Board, will return from Europe on 9th June.

Mr. Herbert Hay has been appointed Advocate-General of the Sudan.

Mrs. Crookshank left for England yesterday by the P. & O. S.S. "Macedonia." Crookshank Pasha accompanied Mrs. Crookshank to Port Said.

Bimbashi Cobbe, Assistant Commandant of the Alexandria City Police, is leaving Alexandria to-morrow for Beni Souef in order to assist in fighting the cotton worm.

Mr. Claude J. Rolo has made donations of £10 each to the British Benevolent Fund and to the Sailors and Soldiers' Institute on the occasion of his marriage with Miss Piha.

Lieut. L. B. Ray, A.S.C., has been granted leave of absence for two months, pending retirement from the army.

Three and a half months' leave of absence has been granted to Edward Elias Bey, inspector, Ministry of the Interior, from the 16th June.

The following visitors are staying at the Beau-Rivage Hotel, Ramleh: Col. G. Harvey Pasha, Capt. and Mrs. W. H. Rotheram, Mrs. J. H. Farrar and courier, the Misses Farrar, Mrs. E. Liddell, Mr. and Mme R. Heleir, Mr. and Mrs. Jules May, Mr. and Mrs. L. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. George Heine and family, Dr. and Mme. Amb. G. Ralli, Miss L. Wormer, Mr. B. F. Chester, Miss Lewis Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. A. Millar and family, the Misses McPage, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bernard, Miss H. Cay.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE PLAGUE.—A new case of plague has been admitted into hospital at Menouf, where a fatal case has also occurred.

THE MINISTERIAL OFFICES will be transferred from Cairo to Alexandria for the summer about the middle of next month.

STRAY AND OWNERLESS DOGS found in the Esbekieh quarter of Cairo during to-night and at dawn to-morrow will be poisoned by the police.

A BOLD CLAIM.—Mahmoud Said, chief of the Yemen rebels, has sent a proclamation to the Cherif of Mecca declaring that he is Caliph.

A NEW PYRAMID.—A pyramid has been erected at Kurot, in the Sudan, to the memory of the officers, non-commissioned officers, and men of the British Army who died there in the Gordon Relief Expedition of 1885.

MARIOUT.—Miralai Hopkinson Bey, Commandant of the Alexandria City Police, returned to Alexandria yesterday after a careful inspection of the police outposts in the Mariout district.

MAHMOUDIEH CANAL TRAFFIC.—Barge traffic in the Mahmoudieh Canal will be stopped between the Kafr-Dawar and Alexandria locks, during the repairing and the repainting of these works, from the 10th to the 30th June.

CAIRO SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY.—A meeting of the society will take place at the School of Medicine on Thursday, 25th inst., at 4.30 p.m., at which Dr. Elliot Smith will communicate some "Notes on the Pigmies of Central Africa."

SUEZ CANAL.—16 vessels passed through the Canal on the 19th inst., 6 of which were British, 3 French, 2 Austrian, 1 Egyptian, 3 German, 1 Dutch. The day's receipts were frs. 454,648.47, making the total from the 1st inst. frs. 6,007,776.65.

GREEK RESIDENT'S LEGACIES.—M. Achillopoulo has handed over to the president of the Hellenic community in Cairo the sum of £25,000 bequeathed by his late brother. Of this sum, £15,000 has been allotted to the Greek girls' school, £8,000 to the Greek Hospital to be built at Abbassieh, and £2,000 to the Greek Benevolent Society.

CAPE TO CAIRO RAILWAY.—The concluding meeting of the Colonial section of the Society of Arts, to be held in London to-day, has been looked forward to with a good deal of interest. The Duke of Marlborough will preside, and Sir Charles Metcalfe will read a paper on "The Cape to Cairo Railway."

A TROPHY FOR KHARTOUM.—The Niam-Niam expedition, which has returned to Khartoum after putting down the revolt in the Bahr el Ghazal, has brought back a curious trophy, in the shape of the Sultan's great war drum. It is cut out of the trunk of a tree, stands four feet high, and is carved to represent a buffalo.

MURDER WITH ROBBERY.—Three Lelamaim Bedouins have been sentenced to hard labour for life for killing a seller of cotton goods on the 20th August last year. As the deceased was walking from the village of Abou Khalil to Beni-Rafr in company with his servant, they were attacked by these three Bedouins. The cotton-seller was killed and the servant fainted. The Bedouins took all that they could lay their hands on and escaped but were soon captured in Abou Khalil village. Said Hassan, omdeh of Beni Rafr, on hearing of the murder, promptly surrounded Abou Khalil village (although this was not within his jurisdiction) with his ghaffirs, and succeeded in arresting the murderers and recovering the stolen property. The case was tried at Assiout and the Court, on the conclusion of the case, expressed the liveliest satisfaction at the prompt action of Said Hassan, who has been awarded L.E.20 by the Ministry of the Interior.

A. L. M. & D. S.—An excellent programme has been got together for the concert of the Alexandria Literary, Musical, and Dramatic Society at the San Stefano Casino this evening. There are fourteen items, and the contributors include Mrs. F. Cree, Miss Euna Lang Anderson, Miss MunGavin, Miss Hélène Luloe, the Misses Alice, Giorgina, and Gemma Fiteni, Mr. L. A. Johnston, and Mr. P. Byrne. Mrs. Cree will sing "Je ne veux pas d'autres choses" (Godard) and No. 1 of Brahm's "Chansons Tziganes." Miss MunGavin will sing "One Flower" (Dandridge) and "My Heart is Weary," from Goring Thomas's *Nadeschda.* Miss Hélène Luloe will contribute two pianoforte solos, "Adagio Grazioso" (Beethoven) and Liszt's famous "Rhapsodie Hongroise." The Misses Fiteni will also give some numbers on the pianoforte, Andante Maestoso "Dichter und Bauer" (Suppe), "Glockenspeil Allegretto" op. 15 (Krammer), and "Ouverture moderato, paragraph 3 (Suppe). Miss Euna Lang Anderson will contribute two violin solos, a Minuetto by Bolzoni and Mariani's "L'Abandono." Mr. L. A. Johnson's numbers are two selections from Indian Love Lyrics, "The Temple Bells" and "When I wake," and "The Lute Player" (Francis Allitsen). Mr. Byrne will sing the "Slave Song" by Teresa del Riego and "Queen of the Roses," from Sullivan's "Haddon Hall."

THE COTTON WORM.

OPERATIONS AT KAFR KHADR.

The worm reported at Kafr Khadr, Tantah markaz, is pronounced to be the *Labhyema exigua.* The full-grown worm is considerably smaller than the *Agrodis* and is green in colour, with a dark line running horizontally along each side. The eggs are laid in the bersim on various kinds of grass, and on the lower side of the cotton leaf. When the eggs are first hatched, the young worms remain together and feed in groups, but after the first few days they stray all over the plant, eating the epidermis of the leaf, which rapidly turns brown and frizzles away. It appears that the worms do not feed during the heat of the day, but go down to the ground, where they take shelter from the sun.

At Kafr Khadr the area of 300 feddans, which was badly attacked, has now been cleared by some hundreds of boys, who proceeded to shake the worm off the plants and then pick them off the ground. The young plants, which have suffered considerably, will probably revive, and the crop need not ultimately suffer.

The entomologist of the Khedivial Agricultural Society is of opinion that these worms, which have now been found among the young cotton, belong to the third brood, and considers it possible that later broods may combine with the true cotton worm in the attack on the cotton plants at a later stage.

Careful observation and hand picking, as prescribed for the *Prodenia littoralis,* or cotton worm proper, are necessary, as it is evident that this worm, if neglected, is capable of inflicting very serious damage.

In compliance with a request from the Ministry of the Interior, the Imperial Ottoman Bank have placed the services of Mr. Wortabet at their disposal for cotton worm duty.

Mr. Wortabet, who had considerable experience in locust plague in Cyprus, was very successful in performing similar work during the locust plague in Egypt last year.

CAIRO WATER FAMINE.

A Cairo correspondent writes:—We are being visited by one of those heat waves which dwellers in Cairo are accustomed to expect at this season of the year, and it is obvious that at such periods water for domestic purposes becomes our most precious commodity. But as usually happens in this country, when a thing is most urgently needed it is not to be had. It is therefore hardly strange that our water supply has diminished to almost vanishing point. To-day (21st) I find there is *no water at all.* I might mention that during the last spell of heat a week or so ago the price of ice was *quadrupled.* I have been frequently told by persons living on the second and third floors of houses in Cairo that habitually and under ordinary circumstances they can only get water during certain hours of the day. They find it useless to complain to the company. That a company earning such enormous profits as the Cairo Water Company, and with a Government representative on the board in the person of Sir Horace Pinching, should thus be permitted to neglect its duty and imperil the health of Egypt's Capital with impunity, is extraordinary.

THE KHEDIVE.

The Khedive will return to Montazah from Mariout this evening, and will come to Ras-el-Tin Palace to-morrow morning.

The Khedive will visit the mosques of Alexandria on Thursday at 8.30 a.m. The Governor, the Director of the Wakfs Administration, Abdul Halim Pasha Assem, and a number of Ulema will receive his Highness at Abou El Abbas Mosque.

BUOYAGE OF SUEZ BAY.

The following changes have been made in the buoyage of Suez Bay:

SPIT BUOY. 2 GAS LIGHTS, GREEN

has been moved to the following position:—

Kal-Ah-Kebirah North beacon
N. 54° W. 10.6 cables.
Kal-Ah-Kebirah beacon on shoal
N. 87° W. 9.7 "
Newport rock light S. ½° E. 15.7 "

SUEZ CANAL BUOYS OUTER NORTH BUOY. GAS LIGHT, RED

has been moved to the following position:—

Kal-Ah-Kebirah North beacon
S. 77° W. 11.2 cables.
Kal-Ah Kebirah South beacon
S. 46° W. 15.6 "
Old Boiler ... ... S. 75° E. 8.9 "

OUTER SOUTH BUOY. GAS LIGHT, GREEN

has been moved to the following position:—

Kal-Ah-Kebirah North beacon
S. 88° W. 11.7 cables.
Kal-Ah-Kebirah South beacon
S. 51° W. 15.7 "
Old Boiler ... ... S. 81° E. 7.6 "

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Hockey match on roller skates. Fireworks and dancing.
Holders of White Permits and British Garrison admitted.
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NOTES FROM SUAKIN.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Suakin, May 17.

The weather here has been almost unbearable for the last few days. It is very hot and damp. Notwithstanding, only a few miles away from here it has been raining heavily, and much damage has been done to the railway line. In some parts the line has been washed away for a length of several miles through the heavy rainfalls coming from the mountains into the khors, over which bridges will have to be erected. All the available men of the Railway Battalion are on the line repairing the damage done.

The Rev. E. H. Blyth, Church of England Chaplain, left for Suez by the S.S. "Mahallah" on the 9th inst. He has requested Mr. Mackenzie, superintendent, Eastern Telegraph Company, at Suakin, to continue the Sunday prayer meetings in the evening, which are now carried on at the Eastern Telegraph Company's office. An organ belonging to Mr. Jenkins, of the Sudan Government Railways, has been kindly lent by him for the Sunday services.

The Italian steamer "Ciampa," belonging to a Venetian company, arrived here yesterday with a full consignment of timber planks, &c., for Suakin merchants.

It was reported some time ago that the Sudan Government steamer "Mukhbir" would be sold, but it is now officially announced that the Government will still retain the "Mukhbir" for another two years, until at least Port Sudan is completed by the Works Department.

NOTES FROM PORT SAID.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT).

Port Said, Saturday.

At dawn yesterday the North German Lloyd S.S. "Rhein" arrived here having on board, in addition to a few ordinary passengers, 1,170 German bluejackets, who proceed to Kiao Chau to relieve the crews of men-of-war there in commission. Throughout the day, bands of 200 or so, in charge of an officer, roamed about the town evidently much interested in all they saw. They were mostly all young men, apparently going East for the first time. The vessel entered the Canal at midnight.

The Rennie Line S.S. "Inkula" arrived the same day. This vessel is chartered by the Russian Government as a hospital ship, and had on board 1,147 wounded and sick for Odessa, for which port she sailed at dawn to-day. I was struck, on boarding her, by the seeming comfort with which the men were surrounded. Amongst other things, Russian ladies had provided 400 long cane chairs, and numerous swinging cots were slung about the upper deck.

The S.S. "Orestes" only left yesterday at 3 p.m. with the pigmies on board, all well.

EGYPTIAN ESTATES.

The statutory meeting of the Egyptian Estates, Limited, will be held in London on the 26th proxo.

Mr. Gerald Shepheard, director of the Aboukir Land Company and of the Egyptian Estates, Limited, arrived at Alexandria to-day from London on important business connected with the latter company.

We learn that the company have just acquired two contiguous plots of land in the quarter bordering the Mahmoudieh Canal, covering an area of about 14,000 square pics and including several buildings, on very advantageous terms. Economical houses in separate blocks will very probably be erected on the land soon.

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A GENERAL GORDON RELIC.

Captain Edmund Barker van Koughnet, R.N., C.M.G., of Barleigh, Stevenage, Herts, J.P. for Herts, who served in the Nile Expedition for the relief of Khartoum, has left estate valued at £7,992. He bequeathed among other things to the trustees of the Provincial Museum and Art Gallery of Ontario a paper note of Gordon money, signed "C. E. Gordon," which was obtained by him in the vicinity of Khartoum when serving with the Camel Corps in the Nile Expedition of 1885.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Moss liner "Rameses" sailed from Liverpool on Sunday morning and is due here about the 4th June with passengers, mails, and general cargo.

The Ellerman S.S. "Sardinia" arrived at Manchester on Monday.

The Papayanni liner "Ararat" left Tangiers yesterday and is due here on the 30th. inst.

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NEW ROUTE FROM EGYPT TO EUROPE.

The quickest route to Europe from Egypt is destined to be the Pireus, Demirli and Frontier Railway, the construction of which is proceeding steadily, and is in the hands of the "Société de Travaux pour l'Etranger" (a Franco-British combination). In Thessaly work is now proceeding on the sections between Pintamilos and Skavamitza, a distance of 13 miles, and between Skavamitza and Demirli, a distance of 10 miles. Later on the line will be continued from Demirli to Larissa, a distance of 28 miles, permission having been already granted by the Greek Government. This section is expected to be completed within about two years. Eventually it is intended to carry the line from Larissa through the Vale of Tempe to connect with the Ottoman railway system. It is not yet, however, definitely settled at what spot the junction will be effected, but it is hoped that the entire undertaking will be completed within five years. The "Société de Travaux pour l'Etranger" holds a concession from the Greek Government to work the entire line for a period of 50 years.

THE SUEZ CANAL SHARES.

We published Mr. Greenwood's statements on Friday last on the subject of Sir E. Stanton and the Suez Canal shares, and in connection with this matter a correspondent writes as follows to a London contemporary:—

No one who has any knowledge of the eminent services of Gen. Sir E. Stanton as Consul-General of this country in Egypt during the administration of the Khedive Ismail, will fail to do justice to the filial efforts of Gen. Stanton's son to protect the memory of his distinguished father from any imputation upon the record of one of the most admirable representatives of the best type of the British soldier and gentleman that was ever employed by the State, in the extraordinary difficulties and embarrassments of a complicated diplomatic position. This position Sir E. Stanton was called upon to fill at Cairo at a period to which Mr. Greenwood directed the remarks which he appears to have modified subsequently. In the troublesome epoch of the 'dual' control, I know that the intelligence, honesty and admirable directions of Sir E. Stanton's consular action were regarded with confidence by those who, like myself, were acquainted with him and his work.

SPORT AND PLAY.

REGATTA.

The following is to-morrow's handicap:—

CLASS I.

Boat	Time of start
Minnie	2.50
Jennie	2.53
May	2.55
Celtic	2.56
Coot	2.57
Teir-El-Mina	2.58
Leman	3.02
Banshee	3.06
Agamy	3.09

CLASS II.

Boat	Time of start
Actae, Derphil	3.07
Rosamund	3.14
Jessica	3.16
Cattelaya, Akraba	3.18
Ironie	3.19
Tantah, Shamrock, Gumrook, Merry Mary	3.24
Masr, St. George's	3.26
Calypso	3.34
Laurea	3.49

Class I. Course F. Class II. Course N.

The attention of members sailing in Class I. is particularly called to Course F, which is a new course and totally different to last year.

The "Agamy" on her new measurement rates 26.6. She therefore gives the "Banshee" (rating 24.3) 3 minutes.

A. S. C.

The following are the handicaps for the 2nd Summer Meeting:—

IBRAHIM HANDICAP (1st day).—Khalil Pasha Khayat's Latiff, 10.7; Ishack Bey Hussein's Shakrour, 10.7; Ibrahim Bey Cherif's St. Frasquin, 9.11; Moharrem Pasha Chahin's Chutney, 9.0; Messrs. W. B. Rees and G. H. Barker's India, 9.5; Mr. E. Karam's Eclipse, 9.3; Hussein Bey Sioufi's Peacock, 9.0; Mr. M. Tueni's Petrone, 9.0; Salah Bey Yaghen's Abou Arkoub, 8.10; Hussein Bey Sioufi's Atragak, 9.3.

OMNIUM STAKES (2nd day).—Mohsen Pasha's Merry Rustic, 11.4; Khalil Pasha Khayat's Bandusia, 8.10; Prince Mohamed Ibrahim's Fra Antonio, 8.0.

The following is the band programme for Thursday's races:—

1. March—Pomp and Circumstance No. 1—Elgar.
2. Overture—The Merry Wives of Windsor—Nicolai.
3. Piccolo Solo—Lilliputian—Brewer.
4. Valse—Florodora—Stuart.
5. Three Dances from Henry VIII.—German.
6. Selection—La Bohème—Puccini.
7. Serenade—Leoncavallo.
8. Danse des Matelots—Metzger.
9. Intermezzo—Badoria—André.
10. Mazurka—La Tzarina—Ganne.

Khedivial Anthem.
God Save the King.

P. Dunn, Bandmaster,
2nd Royal Berkshire Regt.

GOLF.

There will be a driving competition, commencing at 4.45 p.m. to-morrow (Wednesday) on the A.S.C. grounds.

CHRONIQUE FINANCIERE

(12-22 Mai)

On avait assez bien débaté, lorsque vers le 14 l'approche des liquidations de quinzaine a pesé sur les cours. On a même pu craindre un moment une débâcle. Quoiqu'il en soit, nos prévisions passées se sont amplement réalisées. L'arrivée des titres au porteur de quelques sociétés nouvelles et leur apparition prématurée sur le marché ont mis dans l'embarras nombre de petits spéculateurs qui, se trouvant dans l'impossibilité absolue de recevoir leurs paquets, ont dû les liquider ou, pour mieux dire, les sacrifier aux plus bas cours. Comme on s'était jeté en masse sur les valeurs légères en escomptant un long délai dans l'arrivée des titres, il a fallu réaliser sur les valeurs plus importantes pour faire face à la situation et cela a naturellement entraîné une baisse générale. Le lancement inopportun, au plus fort de la crise, de sociétés nouvelles est venu augmenter encore la faiblesse. Il convient de se réjouir à ce propos de la conduite des courtiers sérieux qui se tiennent prudemment à l'écart des émissions nouvelles et en détournent leurs clients, bien que certaines des sociétés récemment fondées présentent les meilleures garanties. Il y a là un bon exemple à suivre, qui méritait d'être signalé. Ce qui fait le danger de ces émissions, en effet, c'est que la spéculation y souscrit non dans le but de placer des fonds mais dans celui de réaliser dès que la prime la plus dérisoire leur laisse un bénéfice ; d'où les catastrophes qui jettent le marché dans le marasme.

Ainsi que nous venons de le dire, les liquidations de quinzaine ont été laborieuses, désastreuses même pour un grand nombre. Vers le 18, cependant, le marché a légèrement repris, alors que le capital encouragé par les bas prix a garni son portefeuille. Il n'en est pas moins vrai que la situation n'est pas encore nette : beaucoup de positions ont été reportées pour fin courant ou 15 prochain avec un report quelquefois ruineux ; ce qui fait prévoir pour la fin du mois un nouveau recul, à moins que quelque événement heureux ne vienne rassurer les esprits qu'inquiètent constamment les complications politiques.

Jeudi prochain se tiendra l'assemblée générale annuelle de l'association des courtiers en valeurs pour l'élection du comité définitif, destiné à remplacer le comité provisoire, élu il y a un mois. Un membre du comité actuel présentera à l'assemblée une brochure avec une modification complète des statuts. On espère que ce projet, qui contient des clauses rigoureuses, sera bien accueilli par les membres et approuvé à l'unanimité. L'état de choses actuel qui est déplorable sous tous les rapports ne pourra qu'y gagner, au profit de tout le monde.

Les valeurs qui ont donné lieu au plus fort mouvement sont la Daira, les actions Crédit Foncier, les Estates et les Privilégiées Tramways d'Alexandrie.

L'Agricole et la Banque Nationale ont été moins actives quoiqu'elles aient fourni, elles aussi, un bon contingent d'échanges.

L'Agricole débute à 13 1/2, fléchit à 13 3/8 pour reprendre en clôture à 13 1/2.

De 27 7/8, la Banque Nationale tombe à 27 9/16, mais remonte légèrement à 27 5/8.

Ferme au début à 28 7/8, la Daira baisse graduellement pendant la crise jusqu'à 28 7/16, mais remonte subitement à 29 3/16 sur la rumeur que les négociations entre elle et le Crédit Foncier sont sur le point d'aboutir. Des réalisations ayant eu lieu au nouveau cours, la valeur a réactionné à 29 1/8 en clôture.

Les actions Crédit Foncier ouvrent à 822 fléchissent à 811 et pour le même motif que la Daira atteignent d'un trait le cours de 832. On finit un peu plus faible à 830.

En Béhéra on ouvre à 43 et on atteint 46 à la suite d'importants achats ; mais plus tard on réactionne légèrement à 45 3/4.

Les Estates étaient à 31/32, lorsque, à l'arrivée des titres, ils sont rapidement tombés à 13/16. Il y a eu un peu de reprise depuis à 31/32.

Nous apprenons que les Egyptian Estates viennent de se rendre acquéreurs de deux parcelles contiguës sises au quartier avoisinant le canal Mahmoudieh, d'une contenance de 14,000 pics carrés environ, y compris diverses constructions.

De 1 7/8 l'Investment fléchit à 1 3/4 pour reprendre à 1 15/16.

Délaissé au début à 1 3/8, le Trust baisse à 1 3/16 ; il remonte ensuite à 1 7/16 pour finir à 1 11/32. A ce prix il y a eu d'importantes transactions. Les titres au porteur ou certificats provisoires sont impatiemment attendus pour régler les opérations en suspens. Jusque-là on travaille à l'aveuglette.

De 13 1/4, la Delta Light tombe graduellement à 12 7/8 pour remonter à la fin à 13 avec affaires limitées.

La Land Bank débute à 9 5/8, atteint 9 11/16, puis tombe d'un coup à 9 1/16 et 8 7/8 pour reprendre en clôture à 9—9 1/8.

Délaissée d'abord à 117-118, la Banque d'Athènes hausse graduellement jusqu'à 122 1/2 par suite d'achats sérieux. On a fini un peu plus faible à 121 1/2.

De 35 à l'ouverture, la Salt & Soda a touché hier 32/9 pour remonter à 33 en clôture. Le Caire vend constamment.

Les Privilegiées Tramways, à 152 au début, arrivent à 155 1/2, prix auquel un groupe d'accapareurs haussiers a acheté par milliers.

Les Markets, qui avaient ouvert à 22, finissent à 22/6 demandés.

On a fait plusieurs milliers de Nungovich. Le cours débute à 10 1/4 et clôture à 9 13/16.

De 5 11/16 à l'ouverture, l'Anglo-American Nile tombe à 5 9/16, prix auquel elle clôture.

L'Oasis fléchit de 1 1/4 à 1 1/32 pour remonter à 1 3/32.

Les Obligations Crédit Foncier Egyptien tombent de 322 à 313 à la suite du tirage. Depuis elles ont repris à 317.

La Ramleh Railway demeure calme entre 7 3/4 et 7 7/8.

De 2 5/8 la Delta Land fléchit à 2 1/2 pour revenir au prix d'ouverture.

Les autres valeurs, bien qu'ayant suivi à peu près les mêmes fluctuations, n'ont donné lieu qu'à fort peu d'affaires.

Souhaitons en terminant que les spéculateurs ayant de fortes positions fin de mois aient encore deux ou trois séances comme celles d'hier et de samedi pour s'alléger avant d'être pris dans l'engrenage de la baisse, comme c'est leur habitude.

(Aujourd'hui à midi et demie)

A part de rares exceptions, toute la cote est en baisse.

La Banque Nationale fléchit de 27 11/16 à 27 9/16, l'Agricole de 13 1/2 à 13 7/16, la Land Bank de 9 à 8 15/16, la Béhéra de 45 3/4 à 45 5/8, la Daira de 29 1/8 à 29, la Salt and Soda de 33 à 32/9 et la Nungovich 9 7/8 à 9 13/16.

Seules la Delta Light reprend de 13 1/16 à 13 1/8 et la Banque d'Athènes de 121 1/2 à 123 1/2 à la suite d'achats sérieux.

Les Estates recommencent leur mouvement de recul en dépit de l'achat récent des terrains du Mahmoudieh. On vent à 31/32.

En général les acheteurs se tiennent sur la plus grande réserve.

Proces en diffamation

Le tribunal mixte de première instance du Caire a rendu mercredi dernier son jugement dans un procès en diffamation intenté par M. Manoli bey Amato contre Derviche eff. Moustapha, avocat, et Abouleneïn Padre, propriétaire du journal "El Afkar". Ces derniers ont été condamnés à 200 L.E. de dommages intérêts aux honoraires de l'avocat de la partie demanderesse fixés à 20 L.E. et à la publication du jugement dans six journaux arabes et deux européens.

ALEXANDRIA MUNICIPALITY.

The Municipal Commission will meet on Wednesday next, the 24th inst., at 4 p.m. The following is the Ordre du jour :—

I° Communications diverses :

1° Lettre ministérielle du 6 Mai 1905, tendant à confier à la Municipalité la totalité du service des établissements insalubres.

2° Lettre ministérielle du 11 Mai, relative au projet de règlement de la taxe sur les voitures et bestiaux.

3° Lettre ministérielle du 14 Mai, relative au règlement sur la rage.

4° Lettre ministérielle du 15 Mai, relative à l'introduction de la viande abattue au dehors.

II° Question relative à l'application d'amendes à divers fournisseurs et entrepreneurs.

III° Règlement intérieur.

IV° Question relative à la canalisation d'eau filtrée de Ramleh.

V° Demande d'un crédit de L.E. 200 pour allocations légères (Délégation du 9 Mai 1905).

VI° Question relative au personnel assistant pour les travaux des quais.

VII° Rapport du Comité spécial chargé de l'étude de la question des échanges de terrains à faire avec le Gouvernement, sur les quais.

VIII° Question relative aux fils électriques aériens.

IX° Affaires judiciaires.

X° Nomination de membres suppléants provisoires à la Délégation Municipale.

XI° Proposition de Mr. de Menasce tendant à renforcer l'éclairage de la rue Chérif Pacha, en remplaçant les candélabres actuels par des candélabres à trois branches.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT

OBSERVATIONS BY SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

ALEXANDRIA.

Direction of wind		S.S.E.
Force „ „		Light
State of Sea		Slight
During 24 hours ending 8 a.m.	Max. Temp. in the shade	28.0
	Min. do. do.	17.8
	Humidity	63.1
	Rainfall	—

REMARKS.

Throughout the day the wind blew lightly from the North, smooth sea, fine and clear when at midnight a calm prevailed till sunrise when the wind sprang up from the S.E. fresh. Barometer steady.

OTHER STATIONS.

For the 24 hours ending 8 a.m. Yesterday

Stations.	Max. temp. in the shade.	Min. temp. in the shade.	Stations.	Max. temp. in the shade.	Min. temp. in the shade.
Port Said	30	18	Merowe	41	19
Suez	31	19	Berber	41	19
Cairo { Helouan	30	17	Suakin	37	30
Cairo { Ghizeh	34	14	Khartoum	41	28
Assiout	41	21	Wad Medani	41	32
Assouan	43	24	Dueim	39	34
Wady Halfa	44	24			

FOREIGN STATIONS.

Stations.	Barom.	Wind.	Temp.	State of Sea
Tarente	756.3	Very light	20	Very slight
Malta	760.0	Very light	24	Calm
Tripoli	757.6	Light	24	Very slight
Athens	757.0	Almost calm	20	Very slight
[illegible]	760.9	Almost calm	20	Very slight

British Chamber of Commerce.—We would call the attention of persons interested in Egyptian trade to the work of the British Chamber of Commerce of Egypt, whose office in Alexandria gives information as to standings trade, &c., to its members, and whose monthly publication reviews our commerce. The annual subscription is £1 and all British traders should become members. Our London office, 36, New Broad-street E.C., acts as London agency to the Chamber.

MOUVEMENT MARITIME
DU PORT D'ALEXANDRIE

ARRIVÉES
23 mai

Constantinople et Port-Saïd ; 19 h., vap. autr. Amphitrite, cap. Tomassevich, ton. 2342, au Lloyd Autrichien.

Smyrne ; 9 j. 3/4, vap. belge Hainaut, cap. Schoubeek, ton. 1337, à Kalfaian.

Port-Saïd ; 1 j., vap. ang. Fortuna, cap. Elias, ton. 432, à Minotto.

West Hartlepool ; 16 j., vap. ang. Graphic, cap. Nicholson, ton. 2152, à Grace & Co.

Trieste ; 4 j., vap. aut. Bucovina, cap. Signorelli, ton. 1747, au Lloyd Autrichien.

Marseille et Naples ; 3 j., vap. all. Schleswig, cap. Frané, ton. 4329, à Schoeller.

DÉPARTS
21 mai

Port-Saïd et Suez ; vap. ang. Dakahlieh, cap. Findlay, sur lest.

Port-Saïd et Syrie ; vap. autr. Thalia, cap. Ivancich.

Port-Saïd ; vap. ital. Bosforo, cap. Milazzo.

Odessa ; vap. ang. Baston, cap. Mattheos, sur lest.

PASSENGER LISTS.

ARRIVALS.

Le paquebot "Portugal" des Messageries Maritimes arrivé le 23 mai avait à bord :

M. Guerin, M. de Seubor, M. Komija, M. G. A. Sheppard, M. Coupas, M. et Mme Arcache, M. Paul Fis, M. R. Rapp, M. Popolani, M. Aftimos, Mrs Richard et Lefranc, M. Gauget, M. Hudcour, M. E. Basin, M. S. Petrucci, et 13 passagers de 3me et 4me classe.

STOCKS AND SHARES

Closing Prices, to-day at 1 p.m.

Shares		Debentures
	BANKS.	
Lst. 14 1/16	Imperial Ottoman Bank	—
„ 27 11/16	National Bank of Egypt	—
Fcs. 426 —	National Bank of Greece	—
L.E. — 1/16	ex Banque Industrielle...	—
Fcs. 828 —	Crédit Foncier Egyptien [Lottery Bonds	318
Lst. 13 7/16	Agricultural Bank ...	—
Fcs. 123 1/2	Banque d'Athènes ...	—
Lst. 1 1/4	Egypt. Investment Co.	—
„ 8 15/16	Land Bank of Egypt ...	80
	LAND, &c.	
Fcs. 1000 —	Agric.-Indust. Egypt... Fond.	520 / 1050
L.E. 45 5/8	ex right Behera Company	5 1/16
Lst. 2 1/2	Egypt. Delta Land Co....	—
„ 6 1/16	Wardan Estate Coy....	5
„ 4 1/2	Land & Mortgage. ...	—
„ 29 —	New Daira Sanieh Fond.	177
„ — —	Corporation of Western Egypt..	1 1/16
31/ —	New Egyptian Co. ...	
	Egypt. Estates Ltd. ...	31/32
	COMMERCIAL INDUSTRIAL	
Lst. 30 —	Alexand. Bonded Stores Pref.	—
„ — 11/16	Anglo-Egypt. Spinning Co.	—
„ 23 —	Bourse Khédiviale ...	—
„ 75 —	pref. Cairo Sewage Transport Ord.	60
Fcs. 211 —	Cr. Brewery Alex. Fond.	112
„ — —	do do 6 % Debs.	500
„ 126 —	do Cairo Fond.	64
Sh. 5/ —	Egypt. Cotton Mills ...	—
„ 22/6 —	do Markets	100
„ 32/9 —	do Salt and Soda Fond.	—
Fcs. 81 —	Ciments d'Egypte.. ...	15
Lst. —	Egypt. Trust & Invest. 1	11/32
„ 7 1/2	Kafr-el-Zayat Cot. Coy.	102 1/2
„ 9 13/16	Nungovich Hotels ...	103 1/2
„ 36 —	Soc. Pressage et Dépôts	102
„ 25 —	Société Presses Libres	102
	NAVIGATION & WATER WORKS.	
Lst. 5 9/16	Anglo-American Nile &c. Co.	—
„ 4 1/16	ex Khedivial Mail S.S. &c. Co. Fonds.	15/6
„ 15 11/16	Alex. Water Company	—
Fcs. 1150	Cairo Water Coy. Fonds.	1140
Lst. 22 1/2	Tantah Water Co. Fonds.	—
	RAILWAYS & TRAMWAYS.	
Fcs. — —	Basse-Egypte Fonds...	125
Lst. 13 1/8	ex right Delta Light ...	103
„ — —	Delta Light Def.... ...	14 1/2
„ 9 —	Fayoum..	—
„ 26 1/2	Keneh-Assouan	—
Fcs. 155 1/2	Alexandria Trams ...	480
— —	do „ Fonds.	350
Lst. 7 3/4	Ramleh Railway... ...	—

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PRIMES DES CONTRATS

"SIMPLE FACULTE"

Coton	Liv.	Juil. P.T. 15 —	à — —	
Gr. de cot. „		Juil. „ 2 —	„ 2 5/40	

"STELLAGE"

Coton	Liv.	Juil. P.T. 30 —	à 32 20/40	
Gr. de cot. „		Juil. „ 3 20/40	„ 4 —	

"DOUBLE"

Coton	Liv.	Juil. P.T. 10 —	à 10 25/40	
Gr. de cot. „		Juil. „ 1 15/40	„ 1 20/40	

BOURSE KHEDIVIALE

CONTRATS

Fluctuations de 9h.30 à 1h. p.m.

Cotons F.G.F.Br.

Dans la matinée ; prix plus haut pour mai tal. 17 1/2 à —/— ; plus bas pour mai 17 1/4 à —/—.

Graines de coton

Dans la matinée ; prix plus haut pour mai P.T. 57 5/40 à —/— ; plus bas pour mai 56 20/40 à —/—.

Remarques
(De Midi à 1h. p.m.)

Coton.—Le mai a fini avec tous les honneurs ; quant à la réaction et aux fluctuations des derniers instants, elles ne sont que le fait de quelques réalisations de flottant à la hausse qui a voulu attendre jusqu'à la fin et qui a manqué le coche. Le mouvement va se porter maintenant sur le juillet et très probablement nous verrons encore beaucoup de surprises. La nouvelle récolte est ferme et subira presque sûrement l'influence de l'ancienne, jusqu'à un certain point, bien entendu.

Graines de coton.—Marché ferme et tendance favorable.

Fèves.—Peu d'affaires.

Observations.—A partir de demain nous donnerons les fluctuations du juillet pour le coton et celles du juin pour la graine.

Bourse Khédiviale, le 22 mai 1905.

COTONS

copie de la dépêche
DE L'ALEXANDRIA GENERAL PRODUCE ASSOCIATION
à la
LIVERPOOL COTTON ASSOCIATION

(Cours pratiqués ce jour à la Bourse Khédiviale à 9h. 45 a.m.)

Tal.	14 29/32	Livraison	Juillet
„	13 3/4	„	Août
„	13 —	„	Novembre
„	12 13/16	„	Janvier

Marché ferme, Août négligé

Arrivages de ce jour, à Minet-el-Bassal, cantars 5,704

(Cours pratiqués ce jour à la Bourse Khédiviale à 12h.45 p.m.)

Tal.	14 25/32	Livraison	Juillet
„	14 —	„	Août
„	13 —	„	Novembre
„	12 13/16	„	Janvier

Marché ferme

MARCHE DE MINET-EL-BASSAL

23 mai 1905.—(11h.55 a.m.)

Cotons — Clôture du marché du 22 mai : Peu d'affaires.

BEURRES

Fair, Fully Fair, Good Fair, Fully Good Fair et Good : Cours très irréguliers

HAUTE-EGYPTE ET FAYOUM

Fair, Fully Fair, Good Fair, Fully Good Fair et Good : Cours très irréguliers

ABASSI

2me qualité, 1re qualité, extra : Cours très irréguliers

IANNOVICH

2me qualité, 1re qualité, extra : Cours très irréguliers

Etat du marché de ce jour, cot. : Marché inactif à cause de la situation créée par les contrats.

Les arrivages de ce jour se chiffrent par cantars 4,943 contre même jour l'année précédente cantars 1,002

Graines de coton.—En demande

	Disponible	Ticket
Mit-Afifi—Hausse 20/40		Rien
Haute-Egypte.—Hausse 20/40		Rien

Blés.—Stationnaires

Qualité Saïdi.—Cond. Saha P.T. 114 à 117

„ *Béhéra* : „ „ „ 112 à 115

Fèves.—En baisse

Saïdi.—Baisse P.T. 1

Fayoum : disponible : Baisse P.T. 1

Qualité Saïdi. Cond. Saha P.T. 92 à 95

Lentilles.—Sans changement

Disponible : Rien

Cond. Saha P.T. 85 à 94

Orges.—Même tenue

„ Cond. Saha P.T. 52 à 55

Maïs.—Calme

Disponible : Rien

„ Cond. Saha P.T. 90 à 93

OIGNONS

Arrivages de ce jour sacs 8496—cantars 3398 prix P.T. 23 à 27 cond. franco-wagon, contre même jour en 1904, can. 354.

Les prix suivants ont été pratiqués ce jour

COTON
C.M.B.
(BASSE-EGYPTE)

par Cantar

Province Béhéra

Damanhour. ... ... De P.T. 170 à 247 1/2

Province Garbieh

Kafr-Zayat.. ... ... De P.T. 255 à 305

Tantah. ... ... „ „ 250 „ 300

Province Menoufieh

Menouf ... ... De P.T. 225 à 270

SECTION DES GRAINES ET CEREALES

PRIX FRANCO-STATION :	DISPONIBLE	TICKET
Graines de coton Afifi	P.T. 55 1/2	à P.T. —
„ Haute-Egypte	„ 54 —	„ „ —
Fèves Saïdi	„ 87 3/4	„ „ —
„ Fayoumi	„ 87 1/4	„ „ —

ARRIVAGES

du mardi 23 mai 1905

Documents de l' "Alexandria General Produce Association."

	CHEMINS DE FER	BARQUES
Cotons	S/B 495	125
Graines de coton...	sacs 7770	760
Blés Saïdi	„ 45	—
„ Béhéra	„ 145	—
Fèves Saïdi	„ 1978	—
„ Béhéra.. ...	„ —	—
Orges	„ —	—
Maïs	„ —	—
Lentilles..	„ —	—

Cotons.—Total des arrivages depuis le 1er septembre 1904 jusqu'à ce jour, cantars 6,105,039

Contre même jour en 1904 :

		BARQUES ET CHEMINS DE FER
Coton ...	S/B	181
Graines de coton ..	sacs	3853
Blés Saïdi ...	„	336
„ Béhéra ..	„	383
Fèves Saïdi...	„	3951
„ Béhéra.	„	—
Orge ...	„	—
Maïs ...	„	—
Lentilles ...	„	—

Cotons.—Total des arrivages depuis le 1er septembre 1903 jusqu'à ce jour, cantars 6,447,794

CONTRATS, (11h.55 a.m.)

Cours de la Bourse de Minet-el-Bassal

Coton F.G.F.Br.

Novembre...	N.R. Tal.	13 —	à —	
Janvier ...	„	12 13/16	„ —	
Juillet ...	„	14 3/4	„ 25/32	
Août ...	„	13 19/32	„ 5/8	

Graines de coton

N.-D.-J.	N.R. P.T.	58 30/40	à —
Juin ...	„	57 15/40	„ —
Juillet ...	„	58 10/40	„ —

Fèves Saïdi

Sept.-Oct.	N.R. P.T.	88 1/2	à 89

REMARQUES

Cotons : Nouvelle récolte.—On a ouvert à tal. 13 1/32 pour le novembre. Le ton est ferme.

Récolte actuelle.—Le premier prix pratiqué a été tal. 15 pour le juillet. Le tenue est bonne et le courant d'affaires actif. Par la suite de nombreuses offres font quand même reculer le juillet à 14 3/4.

Filières de ce jour, Cantars 49,750.

Graines de coton : Nouvelle récolte.—Transactions clairsemées.

Récolte actuelle.—La séance a ouvert à P.T. 57 15/40 pour le juin.

Filières de ce matin, ardebs 1,000.

Fèves Saïdi: Nouvelle récolte.—Même allure.

Exterieur

Dépêches particulières du 22 mai 1905

PRODUITS EGYPTIENS

LIVERPOOL

Coton: Etat du Marché.—Fermes

Disponible.—Beurrés : Sans changement

Futurs Juin : 6 54/64 (2/64 de hausse)

LIVERPOOL

Graines de coton.—Soutenues

Fèves.—Fermes

HULL

Graines de coton.—Meilleure demande et prix plus chers

Fèves.—Soutenues

LONDRES

Graines de coton.—Fermes

Fèves.—Néant

COTON AMERICAIN

LIVERPOOL

Futurs juil.-août : 4.35 (10 points de hausse

„ oct.-nov. : 4.37 (10 points de hausse

Disponible : 4.45 (6 points de hausse)

NEW-YORK

Middling Upland: 8.45 (15 points de hausse)

Futurs juil. : 7.88 (14 points de hausse)

„ oct. : 7.97 (13 points de hausse)

Arrivages du jour, balles 27,000

Contre même jour, l'année dernière, balle 4,000

ASSOCIATION DES COURTIERS EN MARCHANDISES

Le comité de l'Association des Courtiers en Marchandises a fixé comme suit, pour ce jour, le prix de compensation extraordinaire :

Cotons F.G.F.Br.

Mai	Tal. 15 7/8	„ —
Juillet	„ 14 7/8	„ —

Bourse Khédiviale, le 22 mai 1905.

N.B.—Dans cette liquidation sont comprises les opérations jusqu'à 1h. p.m. de ce jour.

Paiement le mercredi 24 courant.

CEREAL MARKET.

ROD EL FARAG (NATIONAL BANK'S SHOONAH

YESTERDAY'S PRICES

Wheat,	Tugari...	Ard.	P.T.	115	to P.T.	118
„	Middling	„	„	120	„ „	123
„	Mawani..	„	„	127	„ „	130
„	Shami ...	„	„	—	„ „	—
Beans,	Tugari...	„	„	88	„ „	90
„	Zawati...	„	„	91	„ „	94
„	Old.. ...	„	„	102	„ „	104
Lentils,	Tugari...	„	„	85	„ „	87
„	Zawati	„	„	95	„ „	98
Barley,	Tugari...	„	„	66	„ „	68
„	Zawati...	„	„	69	„ „	71
„	Shami ...	„	„	65	„ „	67
„	Hamawi..	„	„	72	„ „	73
Dura	Shami ...	„	„	98	„ „	100
„	Rafia ...	„	„	98	„ „	100
Helba...	... ...	„	„	125	„ „	135
Termis.	... ...	„	„	73	„ „	74
Huminos	... ...	„	„	170	„ „	170

CEREALS IN BOAT AT SAHEL

Wheat	Ard.	4000
Beans	„	10000
Lentils	„	200
Barley	„	1500
„ Shami.	„	400
„ Hamawi	„	400
Dura Shami ...	„	100
„ Rafia ...	„	150
Helba	„	100

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS

	Banks' buying	Banks selling*
London cheque.	97 1/2	97 3/4
„ 3m. bank paper	96 1/2	97 1/4
„ 3m. house paper ...	96 1/4	— —
Paris cheque	386 1/2	387 1/4
„ 3m. bank paper	384 1/2	386 —
„ 3m. house paper	384	— —
Switzerland cheque	385 1/2	387 1/4
3m. bank paper.	382 1/4	— —
Germany cheque	474 1/2	477 1/2
„ 3m. bank paper ...	471 1/2	— —
Italian cheque	386 —	387 1/2
Vienna & Trieste cheque ...	404 1/2	406 1/2
Constantinople cheque... ...	88 11/16	89 1/4

*Less one per mille brokerage.

RAMLEH RAILWAY COMPANY.

RECETTES

du dimanche 14 mai au samedi 20 mai 1905

	Billets	Abonnements	Carnets et Divers
	P.T.	P.T.	P.T.
Année cour.	72,657	—	15,665
„ der.	68,411	4,004	7,835
Augment.	4,246		8,030
Diminution		4,004	

TOTAUX.—Année courante 88,262 ; année dernière 79,950 ; Augmentation 8,312.

du 1er octobre 1904 au samedi 20 mai 1905

	Billets	Abonnements	Carnets et Divers
	P.T.	P.T.	P.T.
Année cour.	2,106,856	270,803	401,640
„ der.	1,968,704	587,620	166,354
Augment.	138,152		235,286
Diminution		316,817	

TOTAUX.—Année courante 2,779,299 ; année dernière 2,722,678 ; Augmentation 56,621.

ALEXANDRIA TRAMWAY COMPANY

du dimanche 14 mai au samedi 20 mai 1905

	Billets	Carnets et Divers	Totaux
	P.T.	P.T.	P.T.
Année cour.	119,466.8	13,248	132,714.8
„ der.	102,523.6	8,756	111,279.6
Augment.	16,943.2	4,492	21,435.2

du 1er janvier au samedi 20 mai 1905

	Billets	Carnets et Divers	Totaux
	P.T.	P.T.	P.T.
Année cour.	2,037,130.9	201,310.2	2,238,441.1
„ der.	1,776,226.9	155,949.5	1,932,176.4
Augment.	260,904	45,360.7	306,264.7

SHARE LIST

ISSUED AT THE "ASSOCIATION DES COURTIERS EN VALEURS D'ALEXANDRIE".

Clôture d'aujourd'hui à 12h.45 p.m.

Agric. Bank of Egypt	Lst.	13 7/16 à	— —
Nat. Bank of Egypt	„	27 1/2 „	— 11/16
Ramleh Railway	„	7 3/4 „	— 7/8
Egyptian Delta Railway ex-c.	—	13 1/8 „	— —
Tram. d'Alexandrie...	Fcs.	155 — „	156 —
„ „ div.	„	350 — „	— —
Alexandria Water	Lst.	15 11/16 „	16 —
Eaux du Caire..	Fcs.	— — „	— —
Daira Sanieh	Lst.	29 — „	— —
Béhéra	L.E.	45 5/8 „	— 3/4
Bourse Khédiviale	Lst.	— — „	— —
Egyptian Markets	„	22/3	„ 22/6 —
Anglo-Egyptian Spinning	„	— 11/16 „	— 3/4
Bière d'Alex. Priv.	Fcs.	211 — „	212 —
„ Div.	„	112 — „	113 —
„ du Caire Priv.	„	126 — „	127 —
„ „ Div.	„	64 — „	65 —
Egypt. Cotton Mills	Lst.	5/ — „	— —
„ Salt & Soda	„	32/6 — „	32/9 —
Pressage	„	— — „	— —
Presses Libres	„	— — „	— —
Oblig. Crédit Foncier Egyptien 3 %	Fcs.	318 — „	320 —
Lots Turcs	„	— — „	— —
Banque Nationale de Grèce ex-c.		— — „	— —
Banque Industrielle	L.E.	— — „	— —
Cassa di Sconto..	Fcs.	173 — „	165 —
Anglo-American Nile	Lst.	— — „	— —
Banque d'Athènes	Fcs.	123 1/2 „	124 —
Deferred Delta..	Lst.	— — „	— —
Nungovich Hotel	„	9 3/4 „	— 7/8
Delta Land	„	2 1/2 „	— 11/16
The Nile Land	„	6 1/2 „	7 —
Sucreries et Raffinerie d'Egypte..	Fcs.	156 — „	— —
Egyptian Invest. & Agency Ld.	„	1 1/4 „	— 11/16
Land Bank	„	9 — „	— —
Trust Investment	„	1 1/16 „	— 3/8

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Américain

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„ oct.-nov. : —

Seconde Dépêche, 10h.5 a.m.

Futurs : juil.-août : 4.37

„ oct.-nov. : 4.37

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(Clôture de la Bourse Khédiviale 1h. p.m.)

Cours de l'Association des Courtiers en Marchandises

Coton F.G.F.Br.

Novembre	N.R. Tal.	12 31/32	à 13	—
Janvier .	„	12 25/32	„ —	13/16
Juillet...	„	14 25/32	„ —	13/16
Août ...	„	13 15/16	„ 14	1/16

Graines de coton

N.-D.-J.	N.R. P.T.	58 —	à —	10/40
Juin ...	„	57 20/40	„ —	—
Juillet...	„	58 15/40	„ —	20/40

Fèves Saïdi

Sept.-Oct.	N.R. P.T.	88 —	„ —	20/40

NILE GAUGE READINGS.

FROM MAY 15, 1905.

Date.	Blue Nile. ROSAIRES.	White Nile. DUEM.	KHARTOUM.	BERBER.	HALFA.	ASSOUAN RESERVOIR. Up Stream.	ASSOUAN RESERVOIR. Down Stream.	ASSIOUT WEIR. Up Stream.	ASSIOUT WEIR. Down Stream.	DELTA BARRAGE. Up Stream.	ZIFTEH WEIR. Down Stream.
15	—	—	0.14	—	—	105.17	84.69	46.95	45.5	14.50	9.85
16	—	—	0.16	—	—	105.16	84.67	46.95	45.50	14.50	9.85
17	—	—	0.13	—	—	105.94	84.54	46.95	45.51	14.50	9.85
18	—	—	0.03	—	—	104.95	84.50	46.95	45.51	14.50	9.85
19	—	—	0.13	—	—	104.90	84.49	46.95	45.54	14.50	9.85
20	—	—	0.10	—	—	104.87	84.48	46.95	45.54	14.50	9.85
21	—	—	0.13	—	—	—	—	—	—	14.50	9.85
22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9.85
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THE IMPENDING BATTLE.

Captain Mahan, U.S.N., has a long article in the "Times", in which he discusses the problem that Rodjestvensky and Togo must solve. In the course of it he says :—

We do not know where Togo is ; but we may be sure that, wherever he is, he is thinking hard now, and that his present position is the result of very hard thinking in the past three months, or more, that the Baltic Fleet has been reported coming, and the fall of Port Arthur has left him free. No one of us, deeply interested, but not vitally responsible, can rival the mental processes through which that man, calm, capable, self-possessed, and heroic, must be passing, as he scans in imagination the enemy's designs, and in imagination provides the means of counteracting them. Necessity stimulates invention. He knows that the Russian fleet is in the China Sea ; he is assured that it must go to Vladivostok—if it can—and "that," I can fancy him saying, as Nelson the night before Trafalgar, "that they shall not do, if it be in the power of Nelson and Bronté to prevent them."

He "guesses" that the Japanese Admiral is waiting at Kelung, a port on the north coast of Formosa, and that Rodjestvensky, on his way to Vladivostok, will prefer to pass by daylight in the southern of the two principal channels between Luzon and Formosa, making thence a wide sweep to the eastward of the Japanese islands, where probably the Japanese will be on hand to profit by opportunities. He continues :—

The character of the Japanese force, embracing a great superiority of torpedo vessels, and probably of squadron speed, should enable them in many ways to chose the times and manner of attack ; to refuse their battleships, in which they are inferior, and perhaps to utilise the swiftness of their armoured cruisers, by concentrating them upon a flank of the enemy's column, and withdrawing them when menaced by the rest of his force.

RECORD COTTON SUPPLY.

The chances of continued cheap cotton are very favorable. The experts are looking forward to a big, and even a record, stock in farmers' hands at the beginning of the new season on September 1 next. In their latest circular Messrs. Neill Bros. arrive at the conclusion that, even with this year's commercial crop at over 13,000,000 bales, "everything tends to show that even this enormous delivery would leave in the country nearly a million bales still undelivered on August 31 next, to swell the total of next season's crop." And one of their correspondents, Mr. J. W. Soady, writes :—"It is quite possible that over 2 millions of bales will remain in farmers' hands." This view is fortified by that of Mr. Degener-Boning, of Frankfort, who predicts that the stock will reach 2 ½ million bales, against 458,600 bales on September 1 last. If this estimate be realised, and American production be normal next year, the trade may make up its mind to see considerably lower prices even than have been touched recently. The only disadvantage attaching to such a state of affairs, from an English point of view, is that it will, perhaps, check somewhat the nascent Imperial cotton-growing industries.

FOREIGN AND NATIVE SPIRITS IN INDIA.

With the excellent object of diminishing drinking habits among the Indian masses, the Abkari Department has almost continuously raised the duty on native spirits. In itself, that was wholly laudable, the drink being so cheap that any native who had a mind to get drunk could manage the debauch for two or three coppers. But the reform unhappily played into the hands of the importers and manipulators of foreign intoxicants. A Bombay paper asserts that awful concoctions, labelled brandy, gin, or rum, can now be purchased at lower prices than their indigenous rivals, to which the imports are very inferior in wholesomeness and purity. The result is that any gain to temperance consequent on making native spirits dearer is more than balanced by the increased consumption of foreign stimulants. There is a peculiar brew of so-called "champagne" which particularly wins popular favor. It is both sweet and potent, with plenty of effervescence to tickle the native palate, and as the stuff can be bought at lower rates than good toddy or "rasee," those ancient favorites of the Indian bon vivant seem likely to pass entirely out of vogue. When properly manufactured—everything depends on that—toddy does not deserve the bad reputation it has acquired among Europeans. Jos Sedley, no mean judge, appears to have regarded it as the finest of all spirits for conversion into punch, and although he occasionally suffered after taking too much, there is no evidence of any permanent injury to his constitution.

GERMANY'S NEXT NAVAL PROGRAMME.

The "Preussische Korrespondenz" learns from a trustworthy source that the German naval programme which is to be published next autumn will not contain proposals for the reconstruction of the present battleships, and that there is no intention to change the type of the German battleships. But the leading naval circles in Germany are unanimous in the view that it is absolutely necessary German warships should be built with more speed, and that a larger type of warship should be laid down for the German Navy, as it is agreed generally that in both respects Germany will have to follow sooner or later the example set by other Powers. However, a reform of the Imperial finances is necessary before there can be any question about extending the naval programme as laid down by law already. In pointing out that while it takes a German yard about 35 months to build a battleship of 13,000 tons' displacement, an English shipbuilding yard can turn out a large battleship of about 20,000 tons' displacement in ten months, the journal referred to says that the time required for preparing the building material is not taken into account in England, while it is in German yards. Hence the great difference.

A ROYAL SECRET.

An extraordinary law suit was decided in Paris on Saturday week, in the strictest sense, in camera. As might have been expected, the secret—that of a dead king—which it was desired to keep, was blown to the public, almost before the decision was given. The late King Alfonso XII. of Spain left, it appears, two natural sons, whose mother was the celebrated Spanish singer Senorita Elena Sanz. At the late King's death, a sum of £20,000 was placed in a certain Paris bank, and the interest was to be paid for the benefit of the two sons, who are now known as M.M. Fernand and Henri Sanz Martinez de Arozala. They are French citizens. The mother, as a condition of this subvention, agreed to keep secret the paternity of her sons, and did so until recently, when the bank ceased to pay the interest. Then the sons took action, the bank was ordered to pay as before, together with all arrears.

PLAGUE IN BURMAH.

Bubonic plague has recently broken out in Rangoon, Burmah. Hitherto Burmah has remained entirely free from this disease owing to the stringent measures which are adopted to prevent any case of plague entering its ports undetected. Passengers arriving there from Indian ports are subjected to a rigorous medical examination, and are compelled to pay daily visits to a medical officer for a period of ten days after their arrival.

It is interesting to note that the deaths from plague are almost entirely reported from amongst the Indian coolies, and but seldom notified from the Burmese and large Chinese population.

AN OFFICER'S REVOLTING CONDUCT.

In the course of evidence being given at the trial, at Perugia, of an Italian named Lieutenant Modugno for the murder of his wife, extraordinary revelations are being made regarding his conduct during the international expedition in China.

The Lieutenant's own soldiers went into the witness-box and declared that they had been compelled by him, under pain of the most merciless flogging, to perpetrate inhuman and revolting acts upon the native Chinese. Upon one occasion the prisoner ordered them to roast a Chinese baby in the street at Pao-ting-fu. Some adult natives were buried alive up to the waist and then flogged to death. The prisoner smiled while these and similar horrors were narrated.

The other Italian officers who were with the international force in China at the same time as the accused have petitioned the Army authorities to make a searching investigation into the matter.

BOLT THAT PUZZLES GEOLOGISTS.

Geologists are puzzling over an iron bolt ten inches long, and an inch in diameter, which has been discovered in the fossil beds near where the diplodocus, presented by Mr Carnegie to the Pittsburg Museum, was found. It is not of modern manufacture, and it gives a peculiar silvery ring when struck. The suggestion that it has been placed in the mesozoic formation, in which it was found, by human agency, is scouted as impracticable. The presence of the bolt is difficult to reconcile with the accepted theories of the first appearance of man on earth, as the formation goes back for millions of years.

ENGLAND'S RIVALS IN CHINA.

The war in the Far East is absorbing so much attention that the evolution which is going on in China is (says "Engineering") apt to be overlooked. The war itself is rapidly changing conditions, and unless British engineers and merchants adapt themselves to the altered circumstances, they will find themselves left out in the cold. This is specially true of the Upper Yangtse Provinces which have always been looked upon as the part of China in which Britain had its greatest interests. For some time past, however, a great deal of attention has been paid to those provinces by Continental mining engineers. Some six weeks before the expedition with which Lieutenant Colonel Manifold was connected, two French engineers passed through the same districts, and ten months before that a party of three had also visited the district. Subsequent to the British expedition, separate parties of Belgian, American, and French engineers have been prospecting. Lieutenant Colonel Manifold has expressed the hope that those interested in British mining enterprises in China would investigate into the prospects which those regions hold out, for there appears to be little doubt that the prospects of mineral wealth are worthy of their attention.

REFORM IN RUSSIA.

It is worthy of note, as a correspondent of the "Times" recently pointed out, that while the Russian censorship is supposed to have been relaxed, not a word has been suffered to appear about the Zemstvo Congress. Not even a quotation has been published regarding it from the foreign papers. Yet we hear day by day of outrages, workmen's risings, and other symptoms of agitation. The correspondent in question takes the fact as bearing, on the whole, a favorable significance. The outlook, he thinks, though gloomy, is not as desperate as it appears to foreign critics. "Unless the Government introduces sweepingly coercive and repressive measures, the chances are in favour of evolution, not revolution." This is what the best friends of Russia would hope to see coming to pass, but the coercion and repression which forbid the expectation are just what appears to most of us to be in evidence just now. The events which have occurred, and are occurring every day, in Warsaw and other towns in Poland are unmistakable signs of it, and we may well believe that much as comes to our knowledge, it is not by any means the whole. It is doubtless but a small proportion of the outbreaks of disorder and the ruthless measures of repression adopted which find their way into the papers. There is no sign, so far as the ordinary sources of information may be relied upon, that a new policy has come into favor. In a word, we can discern no indication that evolution is likely to take the place of revolution. The optimists admit that exiled labour leaders continue to spread Social Democratic doctrines in the villages, and by means of lying proclamations to divert popular opinion against the Jews and reformers.

COTTON-MILL BUILDING.

In his last private cotton trade circular, Mr. William Tattersall, of Manchester, says that four large new spinning-mills have been definitely decided upon during the last few weeks, making 37 factories in all to be erected, which will hold 3,310,000 spindles. Three mills, not included in the above figures, have just been completed for working purposes. The cost of the 37 mills will be in round numbers £4,000,000. They will find employment for about 8,500 operatives.

Calendar of Coming Events

ALEXANDRIA.

May.	
Tues. 23	Cricket. R. T. C. v. Sergeants of the Berks. Commence 2 p.m. on A. C. C.
	Windsor Hotel. Orchestra. 6 to 11 p.m.
	Alhambra. Italian operetta company in *Ali Baba*. 9 p.m.
	San Stefano Casino. A. L. M. & D. S. Concert. 9.15 p.m.
Thurs. 25	A. S. C. grounds. 2nd Summer Meeting. 3.30 p.m.
	Concert at Sailors' and Soldiers' Institute. 8 p.m.
Sat. 27	A. S. C. grounds. 2nd Summer Meeting. 3.30 p.m.
	Mustapha Rifle Range. Practice by B. R. C. 2.30 p.m.
Sun. 28	San Stefano Casino. Concert 10 a.m.
	Gabbari. Pigeon Shooting. 2.30 p.m.
June.	
Sat. 3	"Trotter Egyptien." Horse Show. 9.30 a.m.

CAIRO.

May.	
Tues. 23	Esbekieh Gardens. Performance by British Military Band. 9 to 11 p.m.
	Theatre des Ambassadeurs. 9 p.m.
	Theatre des Nouveautés. 9 p.m.
Wed. 24	Masonic Hall. Meeting Idris Lodge. 8.30 p.m.
Thurs. 25	School of Medicine. Meeting of Cairo Scientific Society. 4.30 p.m.
Fri. 26	Zoological Gardens. Performance by Ghizeh Boys' Band in afternoon.
	Esbekieh Gardens. Performance by British Military Band. 9 to 11 p.m.

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THE KAISER'S BOMBSHELL.

Some stir was caused by the Kaiser's latest speech, in which he was reported as having said very unkind things about the debaucheries of Russian officers as a factor in their defeats by the Japanese. All things considered, it seemed unlikely that even the Kaiser would have put things quite in that way. But the reports published by the German newspapers do not alter the case materially. The Emperor's remarks, claims the semi-official "Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung," have some of them been distorted, others are an invention. But in the "Strassburger Post" his words, though more allusive, are none the less definite. Officers, he is stated to have said, should work hard and go early to bed instead of seeking enervating pleasures. The present war exemplifies this—the Russian officers' corps has completely failed. "My son," he added, "has told me how the Russian officers bought up all the champagne at Kiao-chau". That is a German account, written under the fear of all the pains and penalties that hang over the head of an editor in the Fatherland. The language is less lurid than in the first reports, but the meaning is identical, and the Kaiser must, it seems, be credited once and for all with one more of his characteristic bombshells. The result remains to be seen.

STAMPEDED BY BULLS.

A shocking accident has befallen the Spanish hamlet of Villa Manregne, in New Castile. The children of the village were at play, and formed a procession, which marched along the wide plain towards the mountains, where they were espied by a herd of young bulls being reared for the arena. The brutes, about 200 in number, at once charged in a body upon the little intruders, who were swept in their terror-stricken flight into a narrow defile, where they were trodden under the hoofs of the bulls, the whole herd passing over them, though fortunately without using their horns. Still, it is doubtful whether ten of the children will recover. Twenty others are badly injured. There is only one doctor in the canton.

The Cultivation of the journalistic instinct often leads to complications. A prisoner, remanded recently on a charge of stealing a pair of boots, told the detective that she stole the boots in order to get into a police cell. "I am writing a newspaper article on the insanitary conditions of the cells," she said. We shall have burglars pleading that they broke into a house to obtain local colour for the big scene in their next novel.

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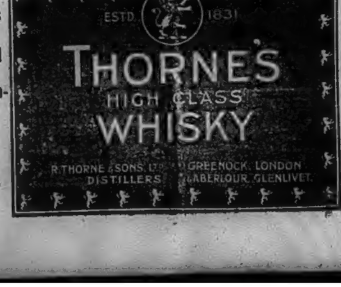

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Pour NAPLES et MARSEILLE, par le bateau allemand "Hohenzollern" parti le 8 mai:
Divers, 50 balles coton, 2,738 cages tomates

Pour MALTE et HAMBOURG, par le bateau all. "Pera", parti le 10 mai :
Divers, 12,103 sacs oignons, 59 cais. cigarettes

R. & O. Lindemann,	271	balles coton
G. Riecken,	38	" "
Choremi, Benachi & Co.,	166	" "
Carver Bros. & Co. Ltd,	210	" "
Peel & Co.,	21	" "
J. Planta & Co.,	46	" "
F. Andres,	121	" "
F. C. Baines & Co.,	32	" "
De Jersey,	31	" "
Mohr & Fenderl,	32	" "
	968	balles coton

Pour MESSINE et GENES, par le bateau italien "Singapore" parti le 11 mai :

G. Franger & Co.,	65	balles coton
Reel & Co.,	237	" "
F. Andres,	30	" "
Choremi Benachi & Co.,	55	" "
R. & O. Lindemann,	210	" "
J. Planta & Co.,	214	" "
Mohr & Fenderl,	96	" "
	907	balles coton

Bonded Stores, 6 cais. cigarettes
Padova & Co., 19 colis cuivre
S. Taylor, 2,005 sacs oignons
B. Barki, 1,000 sacs oignons
Behrend & Co., 260 sacs fèves
G. Peghini, 1 lot vieux fer
Bos Mobiliare, 1,400 sacs oignons
Divers, 5,111 cafas tomates, 76 colis divers

Pour MALTE et HAMBOURG, par le bateau all. "Chios", parti le 13 mai :
Divers, 8.145 sacs oignons, 465 sacs gomme, 1,134 sacs riz, 43 cais. plumes, 148 sacs caroubes, 9 cais. cigarettes, 10 tonnes sang desséché, 1 tonne crin, 3,217 kilos cornes, 28 colis palmes, 58 colis divers

Carver Bros. & Co. Ltd,	252	balles coton
Choremi, Benachi & Co.,	350	" "
E. Mallison & Co.,	61	" "
R. & O. Lindemann,	160	" "
F. Andres,	90	" "
Mohr & Fenderl,	60	" "
G. Riecken & Co.,	190	" "
Peel & Co.,	112	" "
Schmid & Co.,	200	" "
	1,465	balles coton

Pour ODESSA, par le bateau grec "Epiros" parti le 14 mai :
Divers, 350 tonnes oignons, 1,200 cages légumes verts.

Pour BRINDISI & VENISE, par le bateau italien "Nilo" parti le 15 mai :
R. & O. Lindemann, 18 balles coton
Levi, 162 cages tomates
Divers, 5 colis divers, 139 barils vides

Pour NAPLES et MARSEILLE, par le bateau all. "Hohenzollern", parti le 17 mai :
Divers, 2,000 cafas tomates

For PIRÆUS and CONSTANTINOPLE, by the S.S. "Ismailieh" sailed on the 17th May:
Various, 1,760 bags rice, 3,590 bags onions, 120 bags sugar, 30 bags henna, 2,162 packages vegetables, 32 pack. mats, 39 pack. empty sembils, 17 pack. skins, 10 pack. wax, 82 pack. sundries.

Pour MESSINE et GENES, par le bateau italien "Tebe", parti le 18 mai :

Mohr & Fenderl,	153	balles coton
G. Franger & Co.,	118	" "
J. Planta & Co.,	143	" "
R. & O. Lindemann,	30	" "
	444	balles coton
P.P. Buhagiar,	494	cages tomates
Vasdeki fr.,	750	" "
Pilal & Letico,	600	" "
R. Delia,	700	" "
Divers,	1,300	" "

Banca Mobiliare, 2,000 sacs oignons
Divers, 40 colis divers

For MALTA and LIVERPOOL, by the S.S. "Britannia" sailed on the 20th may :
Carver Bros. & Co. Ld., 300 tons cotton seed, 743 ardebs beans
T. Ghirghis et fils, 420 quarters beans

B. Barki,	190	bales cotton
N. Huri & Co.,	112	" "
B. J. Coury & Co.,	321	" "
F. Andres,	125	" "
Bank of Egypt Ld.,	176	" "
Choremi Benachi & Co.,	213	" "
R. & O. Lindemann,	70	" "
F. C. Baines & Co.,	200	" "
	1,407	bales cotton

Butterworth & Smalley, 384 bales rags
L. Onofrio, 10 " "
Hadjes & Co., 759 bags bones
J. A. Abouchanab, 1,050 bags oil cake
Conegliano & Vivante, 42 bags horns, 26 bales bagging

Hols & Co.,	70	bales wool
B. Barki,	93	" "
Anglo-Egyptian Bank Ltd,	34	" "
G. Feinstein,	4	" "
D. Mitzis,	50	bales dry hides
G. Brach & Co.,	6	" " "
Khedivial Mail,	181	bags onions
T. Ghirghis et fils,	261	" "
Aly Moh. Saleh,	1,200	" "
C. H. Schoeliar,	1,530	" "

Various, 12 packages sundries

L'EGYPTIAN GAZETTE est en vente dans les rues du Caire tous les soirs à 7 h.30, excepté les dimanches et jours fériés. Le journal est aussi en vente aux gares du Caire, d'Alexandrie, de Tantah, de Damanhour de Kafr-Zayat et de Zagazig. Prix numéro du jour, 1 P.T.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS

CLOSING REPORTS

Liverpool, May 22, 12.40 p.m.

Sales of the day... ... bales	8,000
of which Egyptian ... ... "	400
American (new crop) Maize Spot per cental...	4/4½
Amer. futures (June-July)...	4.32
" " (Oct.-Nov.)...	4.35
American Middling ...	4.46
Egypt. fully good fair, delivery (May)	6 55/64
" " " " " (June)	6 54/64
" " " " " (July)	6 51/64
" " " " " (Nov.)	6 39/64
Egypt. Brown fair per lb. d.	6 15/16
" " good fair	6 12/16
" " good	7 8/16
" fully good fair...	7 —
Egyptian Saidi Beans new (per 480 lbs.)	29/6

London, May 22.

Consols (June) ...	90 ¼
Egyptian Unified ...	104 ¾
Private Discount m. bill ...	2 ¼ %

New-York, May 22.

Spot Cotton...	8.45
American Futures (June)...	7.77
" " (July) ...	7.88
" " (October) ...	7.97
" " (November) ...	7.99
Cable transfers ... dol.	4.87⅜
Cotton day's receipts at all U.S. Ports... bales	27,000

Liverpool, May 22.

American futures (June-July) ...	4.34

London, May 22.

Private discount (3 month bills) ...	2 ¼ %
Bar Silver (per oz d.)...	27 —
Consols (June) ...	90 ¼
Rio Tinto ...	59 ¾
Rand Mines New ...	10 —
Egyptian Unified ...	105 —
" Railway ...	101 ½
" Domain. ...	106 —
Ottoman Defence ...	102 ¼
Turkish Unified ...	87
Italian Rents 4 % ...	105
Ottoman Bank ...	14
National Bank of Egypt ...	27
Daira Sanieh ...	100
New Daira...	28
Greek Monopole...	52
Greek Rent 4 % ...	40
Chartereds of S. Africa ...	2 —
Agricultural Bank ...	13
Nile Valley Gold Mine ... New ...	1
New Egyptians ...	1
Delta Light (Bearer shares) ...	— —
The Western Oasis Corporation	⅜ premium
Egypt. cot. seed to Hull (May)	5 6/16 buyers
German Beet Sugar (May) ...	12/3

Paris, May 22

Lots Turcs...	134 —
Crédit Lyonnais ...	1121 —
Ottoman Bank...	607 —
Banque d'Athènes ...	132 —
Cheques on London...	25.19 —
Sugar White No. 3 (May) ...	34 ⅝
Crédit Foncier Egyptien ...	823 —
Land Bank of Egypt ...	217 —

TELEGRAMME HAVAS

BOURSE du 22 mai 1905
COURS DES VALEURS A TERME, CLOTURE
PARIS

Rente Française 3 % ...	Fr.	99 52
Actions de Suez ...	"	4485 —
Lots Turcs...	"	134 50
Turc Unifié...	"	88 90
Dette Egyptienne Unifiée...	"	106 75
Daira Sanieh ...	"	100 80
Crédit Foncier Egyptien...	"	827 —
Extérieur espagnol ...	"	92 —
Obl. Banque Nat. de Grèce ...	"	— —
Banque d'Athènes, nouvelles actions ...	"	126 —
Métropolitain ...	"	— —
Russe consolidé...	"	88 05
Sosnowice...	"	— —
Change sur Londres...	"	25 19
Sucre N° 3 disponible ...	"	— —
Sucre N° 3 livrable le 4 de mars	"	— —

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FROM	Messages handed in at: The Company's Offices (H. M.)	Messages handed in at: Postal Telegraph Offices (H. M.)
London	16	50
Liverpool	10	—
Manchester	14	—
Glasgow	—	—
Other Provincial Offices	—	50

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Testimonials (not more than three)—one, if possible, from an English official—may be sent to the Director Sudan Medical Department, Khartoum, not later than 31st May 1905 with a letter of application in the candidate's own handwriting, stating his qualification and his appointments since becoming qualified.

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Les acheteurs devront payer le droit d'enchère de 1 % et déposer le 10 % de la valeur de la marchandise achetée, au moment de la vente et effectuer le paiement intégral à la Caisse Municipale le lendemain du jour de l'adjudication.

Ils auront à supporter les droits de carrière au profit de la ville et devront enlever les pierres achetées dans un délai de dix jours, sous peine de folle enchère pour compte de l'adjudicataire.

L'administrateur,
(signé) W. P. Chataway.
Alexandrie, le 20 Mai 1905 26004 3-2

AVIS

La Municipalité met en adjudication la fourniture nécessaire pour son service pour un an de Fourrages, soit : orge, fèves saidi, paille blanche, paille de litière et son.

Le cautionnement est fixé à L.E. 420.

Le cahier des charges est déposé au Bureau du Service de Nettoiement où il peut être consulté par les intéressés tous les jours de 9 h. à midi, les jours fériés exceptés.

Les offres devront être adressées sous pli cacheté à Monsieur l'Administrateur de la Municipalité avant le 20 juin 1905.

Elles pourront également être déposées en séance de la Délégation le même jour à 5h.p.m.

L'enveloppe devra porter en outre la mention: "Soumission pour fourniture du Fourrage."

Le cautionnement ou le reçu d'une banque, d'après les conditions du cahier des charges, devra être remis séparément au Service de la Comptabilité Générale avant l'ouverture des offres et au plus tard le 20 juin pr. à midi.

Toute offre qui ne remplit pas les conditions ci-dessus sera écartée.

L'Administrateur
W. P. Chataway.
Alexandrie, le 18 Mai 1905. 15998-3-3

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AVIS

Le public est prévenu qu'opposition a été faite au paiement des 32 coupons No. 8 des actions de capital de la Société qui ont été égarés et dont les numéros suivent :

No.	13187	à	13190	4
"	18699	"	18708	10
"	14301	"	14303	3
"	14408	"	14410	3
"	14412	"	14414	3
"	14421	"	14429	9
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NOTICE

SALE OF IVORY AND RUBBER, &c., AT OMDURMAN.

It is notified for general information that the Assistant Secretary, "Stores Section", will sell by public auction at the Beit El Amana, Omdurman, on Tuesday 30th May, 1905, at 9 a.m. punctually, the following approximate quantities of ivory, rubber and cotton :—

Kantars	
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5	Mashmus
13	Rubber
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2 ½	Cotton with seed
16	Cotton seed.

The ivory will be sold in suitable lots at the rate of so much per kantar. Immature ivory acquired under the Section 17 of the Ordinance for the Preservation of Wild Animals and Birds 1903 is sold under condition that same is not resold in the Sudan and must be exported ex-Sudan within one month from date of purchase and a permit will be issued at time of purchase.

Ten per cent. of the value must be paid by the purchaser at the conclusion of the auction and the balance within 5 days from the above date after which period it will remain at purchaser's risk and subject to a demurrage charge of 100 milliemes for each kantar per diem until whole stock is removed.

None of the articles sold can be removed before the whole of the purchase money has been paid.

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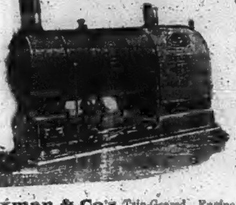

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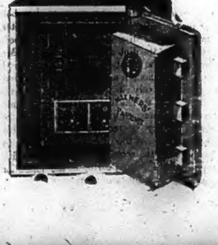

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